



RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 2131

PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 09812.0501-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Tomoyuki ASANO et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2131  
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Application No.: 09/807,824 ) Examiner: Chen, S.  
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Filed: April 18, 2001 ) Confirmation No.: 6164  
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For: INFORMATION TRANSMISSION )  
SYSTEM AND METHOD, DRIVE DEVICE )  
AND ACCESS METHOD, INFORMATION )  
RECORDING MEDIUM, DEVICE AND )  
METHOD FOR PRODUCING )  
RECORDING MEDIUM )

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed January 16, 2008, the period for response to which extends through April 16, 2008, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper.